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SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE TO KING JUAN CARLOS

1. PLEASE CONVEY THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT TO KING JUAN -ARLOS:

QUOTE: YOUR MAJESTY: SPAIN'S FRIENDS AND THE FORCES OF DEMOCRACY AROUND THE WORLD CAN REJOICE IN THE INSPIRING DEMONSTRATION OF POLITICAL MATURITY WHICH HAS TAKEN PLACE UNDER YOUR LEADERSHIP. YOUR GOVERNMENT, THE POLITICAL PARTIES, AND ABOVE ALL, THE PEOPLE OF SPAIN, HAVE EVERY RIGHT TO BE PROUD OF THIS IMPRESSIVE ACHIEVEMENT.

AS YOU CONTINUE TO GUIDE YOUR COUNTRY IN THE PURSUIT OF FREEDOM, JUSTICE, AND PROSPERIT MY GOVERNMENT AND THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES LOOK FORWARD TO EVER-CLOSER LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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COOPERATION WITH SPAIN IN THE DAYS AND YEARS AHEAD.

VIVA ESPANA;

JIMMY CARTER END QUOTE

2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE THIS MESSAGE

BUT HAS NO OBJECTION SHOULD THE ROYAL HOUSEHOLD WISH TO DO SO.

3. AT YOUR DISCRETION, YOU MAY ALSO CONVEY ORAL MESSAGE OF CONGRATULATIONS FROM THE PRESIDENT TO PRIME MINISTER SUAREZ ON THE SUCCESSFUL HOLDING OF THESE IMPORTANT ELECTIONS, FOR WHICH HE DESERVES GREAT CREDIT. CHRISTOPHER

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